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SIXTH AVENUE, 22d AND 23d STREETS, NEW YORK.

The Lace Store of New York.

## Real Laces: The Annual Sale.

An event of the first magnitude—THE event here every autumn—begins to-morrow.

Greater and more important this year than ever before—greater in scope of the offerings—greater in the display—greater in the unmatchably low prices, which only the Ehrich world wide buying connections can compass.

**REAL LACES.**—What a meaning there is in those two words to the thousands who have learned to look upon the Ehrich Store as the great headquarters for high art as exemplified in LACE.

This year's exhibit embraces numberless rare and exclusive novelties and will prove of matchless interest to all—particularly to dressmakers, who will find this year's prices below the usual wholesale mark. The collection embraces

Real Round Point Bridal Sets, Collars and Berthas of  
Duchesse and Bruges Lace Robes, Round Point Venetian, Duchesse  
Applique Bridal Veils, and Point Applique.

Also an endless variety of Laces to be sold by the yard in Round Point, Duchesse, Point Venise, Church, Valenciennes, Princesses, Bruges and Irish Laces. Following are a few of the most interesting values:—

### A \$2,000.00 Bridal Set for \$800.00

A real Round Point BRIDAL SET, consisting of the veil three yards long, a berth nine inches deep and handkerchiefs and gloves; the original price of this set \$2,000; sale price..... 800.00

### A \$500.00 Lace Robe for \$298.00

A real Applique LACE ROBE, consisting of long trained flounced skirt and short sleeved bodice; this dress is exceptionally fine and was imported to sell for \$500; for this sale..... 298.00

### A \$450.00 Lace Robe for \$198.00

A real Bruges Lace ROBE—a very fine solid lace effect—made to sell at \$450.00—in this sale at..... 198.00

Real Duchesse Lace BERTHAS, 7 inches deep Many of them combined with rose point lace. Actual value \$60.00 each; sale price..... 39.98

Real Duchesse Lace BERTHAS, 5 inches deep, very fine; actual value, \$30.00 each; sale price..... 19.98

Real Applique Lace BRIDAL VEILS, oval shapes—a great bargain—sold formerly at \$60.00 each; sale price..... 29.98

Real Applique Lace FLOUNCING, 12 to 18 inches wide, actual value, \$9.00 yard; sale price..... 3.98

Real Duchesse LACE, 9 inches wide; value \$18.00 yard; sale price..... 8.98

Real Duchesse LACE, 6 inches wide, with round point combination; actual value, \$10.00 yard; sale price..... 5.98

Real Duchesse LACE, 7 inches wide; actual value \$10.00 yard; sale price..... 4.98

Real Princess Louise BERTHAS—very full circles—value, \$8.00 each; at..... 3.69

Real Bruges LACE, 9 inches wide, value \$8.00 yard; sale price..... 4.98

Real Renaissance Lace Circular BERTHAS—actual value, \$6.00; each at..... 2.98

Real Valenciennes Lace EDGES, 3 inches wide; value \$6.00 yard; sale price..... 2.98

Real Valenciennes Lace EDGES, 1½ inches wide; actual value \$2.50 yard; sale price..... 98c

Real Duchesse Lace HANDKERCHIEFS with round point combination; actual value \$9.00 each; sale price..... 4.98

Real Princess Louise LACES, 9 to 12 inches wide; EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN; value \$4.50 yard; sale price..... 1.49

Real Princess Louise LACES, 9 inches wide; value \$2.50 yard; sale price..... 98c

Real Valenciennes Lace EDGES; also INSERTIONS; value 60c. yard; sale price..... 29c

Real Valenciennes Lace EDGES, 1½ inch wide, with insertions to match; value 48c. yard; sale price..... 19c

Real Breton Lace HANDKERCHIEFS, deep lace borders; value \$1.50 each; sale price..... 69c

## "CONFESS," SAID SWEETHEART

AND COOLEY OWNED HE WROTE LETTERS TO MRS. SHERIDAN.

Pretty Bronx Girl Says She Will Marry Him All the Same—He Says He Wrote Just to Oblige Duval, the Sewer Skipper, and Was Not to Share Booty.

As a result of the sobbing persuasions of his sweetheart, a comely nineteen-year-old girl, Alva R. Cooley confessed yesterday to complicity in sending threatening letters to Mrs. Theresa Sheridan, the woman contractor and tubercular owner.

Cooley's sweetheart is Lora Tersansky of 929 Courtland avenue, The Bronx. Early yesterday morning, she and Cooley's mother were waiting for him when he came over the Bridge of Signs to face examination before Magistrate Whitman.

"Darling," sobbed the girl, throwing her arms about the young man, "if you had anything to do with it, confess. I will love you just the same and we will get married."

The boy's mother added her entreaties and Cooley's under lip began to tremble.

"I want to confess. Let me confess," he blurted out, and the detective took him to the District Attorney's office.

When arraigned in the Tombs court, Cooley said he was 22 years of age and an electrician. He told the Magistrate that he lived with his mother, who keeps a boarding house at 383 East Tenth street, and that he roomed with Edward Duval, one of the boarders, who had been skipper of one of Mrs. Sheridan's scows, but was discharged by her.

"Last Monday," said Cooley, "Duval asked me to write a letter for him. As he couldn't read or write, I did so, and he dictated the first letter Mrs. Sheridan received. A couple of days later Duval said he had lost the first letter and wanted me to write another. I asked him what he was going to do with them, and he said it was only a joke. I didn't know Mrs. Sheridan from Adam, and Duval never gave me any money. I did it simply as an act of friendship."

"Didn't Duval promise to divide with you?" asked the Magistrate.

"No, he did not," replied Cooley. "I had no idea he was going to use the letters the way he did."

That ended Cooley's confession, and Duval was arrested for something. He pleaded with infinite contempt at his speckled friend and merely expressed a desire to have a lawyer. In order to give him time to get one, Magistrate Whitman adjourned the examination till Monday and held him in \$500 bail. Cooley was held in \$500, and both were taken back to the Tombs.

From the room his sweetheart and mother again embraced him, weeping.

During the proceedings Mrs. Sheridan was a complacent spectator.

"Thank God, they've got 'em! I can sleep easy now. I think I've lost twenty pounds worrying over the matter. I'd just like to get my hands in that captain's hair."

Let me compliment you on the good work you did," said Magistrate Whitman to Detective McFerrry.

## ELLIS BACK FROM MENELIK.

With Diamond Mines in Both Hands—Nothing to Say of Kent Loomis.

William H. Ellis, King Menelik's friend, who was with Kent Loomis last June when the latter disappeared from the North German Lloyd steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II. as he was nearing the English coast from this port, arrived yesterday from Southampton aboard the American liner Philadelphia. Loomis had the commercial treaty with King Menelik adopted by the United States about a year ago. After Loomis's disappearance Ellis took charge of the treaty and went to Abyssinia and gave it to the King. The body of Loomis was washed up on the English coast.

Ellis refused to talk about the death of Loomis except to say that he, Ellis, had been much maligned and misrepresented by the newspapers, and that he would give to the press his version of the affair after he had seen the President. Two white women met Ellis at the pier, greeting him with kisses.

"In my personal ventures," Ellis said, "I have been successful in Abyssinia. I have obtained full concessions from the King for all the diamond mines in the country and 200,000 acres of land on the Nile to experiment in cotton growing. Strong efforts were made by the French and British to prevent the granting of these concessions. I shall establish the Royal Bank of Abyssinia and control the financial affairs of the country."

Ellis went directly to Washington after leaving the American Line pier.

## GIRL STUDENTS CUT UP.

Wear Men's Clothes at Halloween Celebration and Set Town Talking.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 29.—A Halloween party among the girls of Kentucky University here is the talk of the town. It was held in the college gymnasium, which had in some way been left unlocked by the janitor. Half of the girls wore men's evening clothes, and dancing and cake-eating were indulged in.

One of the girls said they did it "just to see how it felt to be a man." Those wearing men's clothes went in carriages for their "sweethearts," taking them to and from the party in proper fashion. A colored orchestra furnished the music.

## THE PANAMA MODUS VIVENDI.

It Is a Closed Incident and Is Now of No Practical Effect.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—It was said at the State Department to-day that the so-called modus vivendi signed at Panama by Thomas A.rias, Panama Secretary of State; John Barrett, United States Minister; and Gen. Davis, Governor of the Canal Zone, was a document that had been superseded by later developments on the Isthmus and was now of no practical effect. It was designed merely to protect the status quo pending the development of the American governmental system in the Canal Zone.

Since that time the ports of Accon and Cristobal have been opened in the Canal zone, and new problems confront the two countries, which are not covered in the modus vivendi. It is not denied that the modus vivendi was entered into and was in the form as published in Central American newspapers; but officials at the Department said they could not offhand verify the accuracy of the translation published in American newspapers. At any rate, they said, the matter was a closed incident and did not bear in any way upon the present situation at Panama.

## Furs.

An extensive assortment of Fur Neckwear and Muffs made in

Ermine, Mink, Chinchilla, Russian Sable, Hudson Bay Sable, Persian Lamb, Lynx and Squirrel.

Russian Pony and Fur Lined Coats.

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## SAY HE'S A COMMON SCOLD.

Wilkesbarre Man Is Arrested for Violating a Law Passed in 1870.

WILKESBARRE, Oct. 29.—Charged with being a common scold and amenable to the law of 1870, providing a ducking stool as punishment, Snowden Evans was arrested to-day on a complaint of a committee of neighbors formed to prosecute him.

They declared that he had talked about the women of the neighborhood so much that he had become a nuisance and they wanted him punished.

Evans was held under bail for a hearing next Thursday, when he will have all the neighbors present to testify.

## Medal and \$100 Award Mahoney.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—A medal of honor and a gratuity of \$100 are awaiting George Mahoney, formerly a fireman in the navy, but the Department has so far been unable to locate him.

Mahoney was serving as fireman on the converted gunboat Vixen on the blockade off Santiago on June 1, 1898, when a gasket of her boiler blew out. For heroism on that occasion he and Peter Johnson, another fireman on this ship, were each awarded a medal and purse.

## Bids for Mare Island Dry Dock.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—Bids were opened this morning in the Navy Department for the completion of the dry dock at Mare Island navy yard. These bids were received: The Seaford Company, New York, \$1,385,000; W. N. Conannon, San Francisco, \$1,420,000; Italy, Tibbitts & Co., San Francisco, \$1,387,000; Barrall Construction Company, Oakland, \$1,645,000.

# SIEGEL COOPER & CO.

Double "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps Earnings This Week From 8:30 Till 12 o'Clock. Thereafter, Single Stamps Until Closing Hour.

## Tuesday, Nov. 1, Fall Reception Day. To Collectors of "Sperry & Hutchinson" Green Trading Stamps.

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There are more to choose from. The values are better. The list is most extensive, and covers the widest variety.

## Household Linens—Various Kinds.

Another Very Remarkable Series of Special Offerings for Monday's Shoppers.

Every prudent housekeeper will be much interested in this sale, for it presents in broadest variety superior bargains in Table and Bed Linens. Also thousands of Towels at very attractive prices.

**Crashes.** 19-INCH IMPORTED IRISH GLASS TOWELLING in large plaids. All linen BLEACHED BARNSELY CRASH, regularly up to 12½c yard; yd. 5c

**Towels.** 300 DOZEN HEAVY HEMMED UNION HUCK TOWELS, extra size, in white and red borders, regularly up to 19c each. 12c

**Table Linens.** 150 PIECES OF IMPORTED MERCERIZED GERMAN DAMASK in pretty floral designs, regularly 50c. yard. 39c

**Napkins.** 500 DOZ. 18-INCH ALL LINEN SILVER BLEACHED GERMAN NAPKINS, regularly \$1.00 doz.; 69c

**Table Cloths.** 2½-YARD SILVER BLEACHED ALL LINEN TRIMMED DINNER CLOTHS, one design only, regularly \$2.35 each. 1.50

**Pillow Cases.** 1,500 DOZ. 45x36 HEMSTITCHED AND HEMMED PILLOW CASES, special linen finish, regularly up to 15c each. 9c

**Sheets.** 500 dozen BLEACHED SHEETS for full-size beds; if made regularly, would sell at 54c each. 43c

**Bed Spreads.** 1,000 SPREADS, comprising HEAVY WHITE CROCHET SPREADS for full-size beds, COLORED MITCHELL SPREADS for full-size beds and WHITE FRINGED CROCHET SPREADS for full-size beds; regularly up to \$1.50 each. 1.00

(Main Floor, East of Fountain.)

## Decorated China At Decided Price-Economies.

In order to make room for incoming Holiday stocks we are closing out very desirable lines of Decorated Chinaware at prices that have never been equalled in lowness. To-morrow's list is evidence:

25c each for SALAD BOWLS, CELERY TRAYS, CAKE PLATES, DECORATED CUPS AND SAUCERS, COVERED VEGETABLE DISHES, TEA POTS AND SUGAR BOWLS; regularly from 85c. to \$1.50 each.

10c each for fine English decorated porcelain CUPS AND SAUCERS with gold; grade \$2.50 doz.

5c each for fine English decorated SOUP PLATES, assorted decorations; grade \$2.55 doz.

50c each for fine English decorated SOUP TURENS, to match the above plates; grade \$2.25 doz.

Thin Tumblers. 3c each for fine thin blown TABLE TUMBLERS, always sold at 60c doz.

RICH CUT WATER BOTTLES. 2.25 RICH CUT CELERY TRAYS. 2.25 RICH CUT OIL BOTTLES, each. 1.50

## Dinner Sets.

100 DECORATED AMERICAN PORCELAIN DINNER SETS, 100 pieces with soup tureen, large meat dish, all hand gold traced; \$13.50 quality, 7.75

150 FINE AUSTRIAN CHINA DINNER SETS of 100 pieces, assorted decorations; \$16.50 quality, 11.75

100 VERY RICH THIN DECORATED CHINA SETS of 100 pieces, with soup tureen and large meat dishes, all pieces gold lined edge; grade \$22.50, 16.50

165 LIMOGES CHINA DINNER SETS, 100 pieces, very rich decorations, gold edge; \$24.00 quality, 15.75

(Third Floor, Front, 19th St.)

## Remarkable News of Furs.

In buying Furs quality is the first thing to be considered; then to secure that desired quality at a price within the limits of your purse. Of course style is also one of the leading features in your selection. We like to have you inspect our Furs, bearing these points in mind—they'll send the test. Impossible to describe all of our many good values. Here are a few:

NATURAL MARTEN CLUSTER SCARFS, trimmed with six tails 5.00

RUSSIAN GRAY SQUIRREL MILITARY TAB SCARFS, gray satin lined 12.75

RUSSIAN CALFSKIN CRAVATS, known as Yera, latest novelty 12.75

SABLE SQUIRREL SETS, consisting of four in hand scarf and flat muff, 17.50

CHINCHILLA SETS, consisting of military choker and large pillow muff, 50.00

ROYAL ERMINE SETS, military choker and shawl pillow muff, as illustrated, 55.00

AXSALA SEAL COATS, 24 inch box front style, satin lined, 25.00

LEIPZIG DYED PERSIAN LAMB COATS, collar and revers of Chinchilla or Mink, 95.00

(Fur Rooms, Second Floor, Centre, 18th St.)

We're cutting sack coats very long this season. Proportioned full. All the fit part of the new coat is around the neck and shoulders. The rest is a matter of draping. But that's just where the knack of real tailoring comes into play. We're out in advance of the most shops with this garment. We will build it for you from a choice of exclusive imported fabrics at \$20. Single or double breasted.

Special sale of extra fine imported winter overcoatings in worsted chevrons, meltons and kerseys in grays and blacks—\$25.

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maintaining a gambling house. Frank Johnson of 21 W. 8th St. was held in \$500 bail for examination on a charge of violating the excise law.

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